## 25-5. Administrative Enforcement: Issuance of Consent Orders and Final Orders (1200 TN 350 25-5)

## 1. AUTHORITY.

- a. To issue consent orders memorializing settlements between the Agency and respondents resulting from administrative enforcement actions under the Organotin Antifouling Paint Control Act (OAPCA).
- b. To issue final orders assessing penalties under the OAPCA.
- 2. TO WHOM DELEGATED. The Regional Judicial and Presiding Officer.
- **3. LIMITATIONS.** The Regional Judicial and Presiding Officer may not be employed by the Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance or by any program office directly associated with the type of violation at issue in the involved proceeding.

## 4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.

- a. This authority may not be redelegated without formal amendment.
- b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.

## 5. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.

**6. SUPERSESSION.** Delegations Manual, OAPCA, Regional Delegation 25-5. Administrative Enforcement: Issuance of Consent Orders and Final Orders, 1200 TN RIII 124 (August 3, 1998).

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